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Being subscribers to XM Satellite Radio, my family has found the type of music programming that is unavailable from Corporately Controlled radio conglomerates. The programming is fresh & is not dictated by "followers". In my radio market, the radio stations play the same 15 or 20 songs & beat them into the ground. XM offers so many choices & benefits that even when listening to the same channel, we might hear a song once or twice during the day. The wide range of programming is very refreshing & makes us want to listen more often. The traffic & weather channels slated for our market will be of immeasurable benefit when there is a major traffic tie up or there is inclement weather. We feel that since we pay for these services and it should not be up to the National Association of Broadcasters to dictate what you are permitted to hear.

We respectfully urge the FCC to reject the NAB's petition 04-160 and to support XM's ability to provide the kind of programming that we rely on & have come to greatly enjoy.

Thank you very much for your time & attention to our request.

Steve Baker & Family